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THE Parliament met here this day; and Her Majesty being come to the House of Peers, and seated on the Throne in Her Royal Robes, with the usual Solemnity, Mr. *Astion*, Deputy Gentleman-Usher of the Black-Rod, was sent with a Message to the House of Commons, requiring their Attendance in the House of Peers, whither they came accordingly; and Her Majesty was pleased to make a most Gracious Speech to both Houses, which follows.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

THE Great and Remarkable Success with which God hath Blessed Our Arms in this Summer, has stir'd up Our good Subjects in all Parts of the Kingdom, to Express their Unanimous Joy and Satisfaction; and I assure My Self you are all come Disposed to do every thing that is Necessary for the Effectual Prosecution of the War, nothing being more Obvious, than that a timely Improvement of our present Advantages will Enable Us to Procure a lasting Foundation of Security for England, *and a firm Support for the Liberty of* Europe; *This is My Aim; I have no Interest, nor ever will have, but to Promote the Good and Happiness of all my Subjects.*

Gentelmen of the House of Commons,

I must Desire such Supplies of you, as may be Requisite for Carrying on the next Year's Service, both by Sea and Land, and for punctually Performing Our Treaties with all Our Allies, the rather, for that some of them have Just Pretentions depending ever since the last War, and I need not put you in mind of what Importance it is to Preserve the Publick Credit, both Abroad and at Home.

I Believe you will find some Charges necessary next Year, which were not mentioned in the last Sessions, and some Extraordinary Expences Incurr'd since, which were not then Provided for.

I Assure you that all the Supplies you Give, with what I am able to Spare from my Own Expences, shall be carefully Applied to the best Advantage for the Publick Service; And I earnestly Recommend to you a speedy Dispatch, as that which, under the good Providence of God, We must chiefly Depend upon to Disappoint the Earliest Designs of Our Enemies.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

I cannot but tell you how Essential it is for Attaining these Great Ends, Abroad, of which We have so hopeful a Prospect, that We should be entirely United at Home.

In the plain Our Enemies have no Encouragement left, but what arises from their Hopes of Our Divisions; 'Tis therefore your Concern not to give the least Countenance to those Hopes.

My Inclinations are to be Kind and Indulgent to you all; I Hope you will do nothing to Endanger the Loss of this Opportunity, which God hath put into Our Hands, of Securing Our Selves and all Europe, *and that there will be no Contention among you, but who shall most Promote the Publick Welfare.*

Such a Temper as this, in all your Proceedings, cannot Fail of Securing your Reputation, both at Home and Abroad.

This would make Me a Happy Queen, whose utmost Endeavours shall never be wanting to make you a Happy and Flourishing People.

St. James's October 25. The following Address was presented to Her Majesty by the Reverend Dr. *Willis*, Dean of *Lincoln*, introduced by his Grace the Lord Archbishop of *Lincoln*.

The humble Address of the Bishop, Dean and Chapter, and others of the Clergy of the Diocese of *Chester*.

May it please Your Majesty,

IT is not long since we had the Honour to wait upon Your Majesty, to return our most humble and hearty Thanks for Your Royal Bounty to our poor Brethren of the Clergy, and for the great Concern Your Majesty was pleased to express for the Honour of God, and his Worship in this Church of England.

We are glad we have Occasion so soon to address to Your Majesty again, to congratulate the happy and glorious Success of Your Majesty's Arms, together with those of Your Allies, both by Land and Sea, within a few days one of another; in both which the English Conduct and Valour was bravely exerted and signalized: The happy fruits of which, not only Your Majesty's Dominions, but also a great Part of Europe, may from henceforth expect to reap.

Madam, *as we have lately, according to Your Majesty's pious Commands, offered up to God our publick Thanks for the luminous and Signal Successes vouchsafed by his good Providence to Your Majesty, as also our Prayers for the Continuance of the same good Hand of Providence for the future; so we think our selves obliged, not only privately to exercise the like Devotions, but also, as we have Opportunity in the Course of our Ministry, to encourage Your Majesty's Subjects in a dutiful and chearful Obedience to Your Majesty, and to the Practice of all other Moral and Religious Duties: And farther to inflame them with an high Esteem and Veneration of Your Majesty's Person, and the Wisdom of Your Administration; which we beseech Almighty God may continue long; and after that be perpetuated in a Protestant Succession to all future Ages.*

The Two following Addresses have been presented by his Grace the Duke of *Ormond*, Lord Lieutenant of *Ireland*.

To the QUEEN's *Most Excellent Majesty.*

The humble Address of the Sheriff, Governor, Justices of the Peace, Grand-Jury, Gentlemen and Freeholders, of the County of *Westmeath*, at a General Quarter-Sessions of the Peace, assembled at *Mullengar* on *Thursday* the 12th day of *October*, *Anno Domini* 1704.

WE Your Majesty's most Dutiful Subjects, beg Leave, in the Crowd of their Fellow Subjects, to Approach Your Royal Throne, and Congratulate the Glorious Success of Your Arms on the Danube, *under Your Great* English *General, his Grace the Duke of* Marlborough, *against the* French *King, the Common Enemy and Disturber of the Peace of* Christendom.

This and the many other Blessings, that have attended the whole Course of Your Life, are so many Assurances from Heaven, that the holding the Ballance of Europe, *and Reducing the Exorbitant Power of* France, *are reserv'd for Your Majesty to Effect.*

May God Almighty preserve Your Majesty's Life and Health, long to Reign over us, and Royal Issue of Your own Body to Succeed; which are the daily Prayers of us, Your most Obedient Subjects.

To the QUEEN's *Most Excellent Majesty.*

YOur Majesty's most Dutiful and Obedient Subjects, the Mayor, Commonalty and Citizens, of Your truly Loyal City of Londonderry, *beg Leave to Congratulate Your Majesty upon the late Glorious Victory obtained against the* French *and* Bavarians, *by Your Majesty's Arms, and those of Your Allies, under the Command of the Duke of* Marlborough.

This, and the many other great Advantages, with which God has blest Your Reign over Your Common Enemy, shew, That the Reducing the Exorbitant Power of France, *Continuing the House of* Austria *on the Throne of the Empire, Rescuing the Liberties of* Europe, *and Preserving the Establish'd Church in this Kingdom, as well as the Protestant Religion, and Reformed Churches abroad, are Blessings reserved for Your Majesty to compleat, as the Reward of Your Exemplary Zeal and Piety.*

On this Joyful Occasion, permit us in all Humility to renew our Assurances to defend and Support, to the utmost of our Power, Your Majesty's Royal Person and Government, the Church of Ireland, *and Protestant Succession as by Law establish'd. And that Your Majesty may be blessed with a Long and Happy Reign, we always, and shall be our hearty Prayers.* In Testimony whereof we have affixed hereunto our Common Seal of the said City, the 10th Day of *October*, in the Third Year of Your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address was presented to Her Majesty by his Grace the Duke of *Somerset*.

The humble Address of the Justices of the Peace, Grand-Jury, Gentlemen, and Freeholders, Assembled at the General Quarter-Sessions of the Peace, holden the 3d of *October*, 1704. for the Western part of the County of *Sussex* at *Petworth*.

Dread Sovereign,

WE beg Leave to take this Opportunity to Congratulate Your Majesty, as well in the Kingdom's Happiness we have

tender Government at Home, as the Glorious Success of Your Arms abroad: The one proceeding from Your Piety and Moderation, Virtues truly Princely; the other from a Steddiness and Prudence more than Manly; nobly exerted in the Vindication of the Persons, Properties and Consciences of the Christian World, from the ensults and Impositions of an Insatiable Tyrant.

Thus (Madam) You have at once appear'd the Preserver of the Liberty of Nations, and the Ornament of the True Religion: How must then even the most Insensible of Your Subjects bless the Almighty Providence for Living in the Reign of a Queen, exceeding the best and greatest of Her Ancestors? whose Arms shall in Future Histories appear more Illustrious than those of the Mighty Edward; *and whose Councels shall outshine the Happy Conduct of* Elizabeth; *for nothing less can be expected from so early Successes over the Armies of Your Enemies, and the Hearts of Your Subjects: To accomplish which, That You may still more and more Flourish under the Glorious Character, of being the True Mother of Your Country, the Support of the whole Protestant Religion, and the Scourge of Persecuting Princes; we shall always pray,* &c.

The following Address was presented by his Grace the Duke of *Newcastle*, Lord Lieutenant of the East-Riding of the County of *York*.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE the High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Deputy Lieutenants, and Gentlemen, in the East-Riding of the County of York, met at our General Quarter Sessions, humbly beg Leave to take this Opportunity to assure Your most Excellent Majesty, That none of Your Subjects do more heartily rejoyce at the Glorious Victories of this Campaign, obtained by the English Arms, over that haughty Monarch the French King, who for many Years hath been the Disturber of the Peace of Europe. Madam, we attribute all the Blessings bestowed on us, Your Loyal Subjects, to Your Princely Virtues. Your firm Adherence to the Protestant Religion, and to the Liberties and Properties of England, eminently appeared in Your hazarding Your Royal Person so early in the Revolution. Your Appearance at Nottingham gave Life to that Cause which our Great Deliverer King William (of ever Glorious Memory) had begun in another Place.: And we all hope Almighty God will bless us, in making Your Sacred Majesty the Finisher of that great Work he so valiantly begun. The March of Your Great General the Duke of Marlborough, his Courage and Conduct in the several Battels, convince the whole World, That the Arms of England, under so well a chosen Commander, can't fail of Victory. It appeared so lately, even over the Houshold Troops of France, who, by the Pride of the Common Enemy, have been stiled Invincible. We all hope the Parliament will grant Your Majesty such Supplies, as will effectually enable You to carry on the War with that Vigour, both by Land and Sea, as may force the French King to beg Peace on any Conditions Your Majesty shall be pleased to grant. And we further beg Leave humbly to assure Your Majesty, That we pray and wish for Your long Life and happy Reign over us: And that we will, to the utmost of our Power, defend Your Majesty's lawful and rightful Title to Your Crown and Dignity, and the Protestant Succession as limisted by the Acts of Settlement.*

The following Address from the Borough of *Appleby*, was presented by Mr. Secretary *Harley*.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Common-Council, and Burgesses, of the Borough of *Appleby* in the County of *Westmorland*.

Most Dread Sovereign,

WE Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, having (as in Duty bound) addressed the Throne of Heaven, and Solemnly offered up our Sacrifice of Praise to the Almighty, for the late Glorious Victory obtained over the Common Enemy, humbly beg Leave to Address the Throne of his Vicegerent also, and, at Your Majesty's Royal Feet, to Congratulate the happy Success of Your Victorious Arms both by Land and Sea; which have not only retriev'd the ancient English Glory, but raised Your Illustrious Throne much higher than ever it stood in any Age before. The World now talks of no Universal Monarch, except Your Sacred Self, who Treads so Triumphantly on the Necks of all Your Enemies, who Reigns so Absolutely in the Hearts of all Your Subjects, and who Influences so strongly all the Grand Affairs of Europe.

We thankfully acknowledge and admire Your Majesty's great Wisdom, which formed all those Noble Designs, and gave Life and Being to these great and surprizing Actions, which we joyfully commemorate. We Reverence in Your Sacred Person that Exemplary Virtue, Piety, and Devotion, which draws in Heaven to Your Alliance, and enables Your Troops to Conquer as often as they fight. We highly applaud Your Prudence in the Choice of a Captain-General; and hope Your Gracious Majesty will not take it ill if we mention that great Commander with Honour, who has been so successfully Instrumental in reducing the Exorbitant Power of France.

In all these Things we adore the Divine Wisdom and Goodness, and are truly Thankful to the Great God, for bestowing such a comprehensive Blessing upon us, as we enjoy in Your Majesty's Person and Government: Particularly (Madam) give us leave to Express the Grateful Sense we have of Your Princely Munificence and Royal Bounty to the Established Church, whose Loyal Principles we have all of us Imbib'd, and will Religiously Maintain to our last Breath: And, till we are weary of being Happy, we shall never cease to Pray for Your Majesty's long Life and Prosperous Reign over us.

The following Address from the Borough of *Shaftesbury* was presented to Her Majesty by *Edward Nicholas* Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Capital Burgesses, Gentlemen, and other the Inhabitants of the Borough of *Shaftesbury*

Land, in Conjunction with Your Allies, employed against the Common Enemy.

Your Majesty hath indeed carried on the War against France with Vigour, and retrieved the ancient Honour of our English Nation: That the Hand of Providence may protect Your Sacred Person; and that Your Forces may proceed with Victory and Success, shall be the daily Prayer of Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Obedient Subjects.

The following Address from the Borough of *Aldeburgh* was presented to Her Majesty by Sir *Henry Johnson* and *William Johnson* Esq; their Representatives in Parliament, introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Lord *Delawarre*.

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Bayliffs, Recorder, Capital Burgesses, Freemen, and Town-Clerk, of the Borough of *Aldeburgh*, in the County of *Suffolk*.

MADAM,

WE Your Majesty's most Loyal and Dutiful Subjects, do, amongst the rest, humbly beg Leave to congratulate Your Majesty on the glorious Victories of Your Arms by Sea and Land; such that France experimentally now finds, That Troops of their Houshold are not able to support an Ambitious Elector, and an Usurping Monarch, when an English Army, commanded by so wise and courageous a General as the Duke of Marlborough, does make them flie before them, and leads their General in Triumph Prisoner. Nor is their Admiral with all their Navy able to defend the Spanish Coast, and face an English Fleet, when commanded by Your Admiral Sir George Rooke, who has brought our Naval Strength safe into our Harbours, and has sent their Ships sinking and shattered home.

That the same good Providence which hath hitherto blessed Your Majesty's Reign with Glory and Success, may continue still to prosper You more and more, shall always be the Prayers of Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects.

Given under our Common Seal, this Sixth Day of *October*, in the Third Year of Your Majesty's Reign, *Anno Dom.* 1704.

The following Address from the Borough of *Devizes* was presented to Her Majesty by Sir *Francis Childe*, one of their Representatives in Parliament, and *Thomas Webb* Esq; their Recorder.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

WE the Mayor, Recorder, Magistrates, Common Council, and Free-Burgesses of the Devizes, in the County of *Wilts*, do humbly beg Leave to Congratulate Your Majesty upon the late Glorious Successes of the Arms of Your Majesty and Your Allies against the Common Enemy; and particularly in the Actions of Scheberaberg and Hochstet, in the Honour of which Your Majesty's Subjects, under the Conduct of the Duke of Marlborough, had so great a Share.

What could have raised the Honour and Reputation of the English Nation, and Your Majesty's Reign, to a higher Pitch than the Bavarian Expedition? An Undertaking, wise in its first Design, and managed and executed through the whole Course of it with extraordinary Secrecy, Conduct and Bravery; which hath not only retrieved the almost desperate Condition of the Empire, (as he who reaped the immediate Benefit of it hath generously owned) but hath given an happy Turn to the Affairs of all Europe.

These wonderful Successes seem to have been reserved by Providence for Your Majesty's Reign, to give a second Instance in the House of Bourbon, that the Designs formed for the sole Monarchy and Oppression of Europe, are only to be defeated by the Councils and Arms of a Queen of England.

May these great Successes prove but an Earnest of those yet to come, by which Europe in general, and England in particular, may be restored to a safe and honourable Peace.

That God Almighty, who hath hitherto in a wonderful manner protected and blessed Your Majesty, will grant Your Majesty a long and prosperous Reign over us, and enable You to perfect all the Noble Designs You have formed, for the Good of Your People, and to settle the Monarchy, Protestant Succession, and Church of England as by Law established, in such a manner, as that their Enemies may not in the Ages to come be able to disturb or hinder their Continuance, Prosperity, and Peace; are the sincere and hearty Prayers of Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Faithful Subjects.

The following Address from the Borough of *Wendover* was presented to Her Majesty by *Richard Crawley* Esq;

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Gentlemen and Inhabitants of the ancient Borough and Parish of *Wendover*, in the County of *Buckingham*.

WE Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, do humbly beg Leave to approach Your Royal Throne, and congratulate Your Majesty on the late most Glorious Victory obtained by Your Majesty's Forces, in Conjunction with Your Allies, under the Heroick and Courageous Conduct of Your General the Duke of Marlborough, over the French and Bavarian Forces in Germany; as also upon the Taking of Gibraltar, and the Victory obtained over the French, by Your Fleet, under the Command of Your Wise and Valiant Admiral, Sir George Rooke.

May Heaven continue to shower down such like Blessings of Success and Victory upon all Your Undertakings, as Rewards for Your great Piety, Virtue, and Zeal for the Publick Welfare of Christendom, of Your own Subjects, and the Established Church; and may You long continue so to reign over us.

The following Address has also been presented to Her Majesty.

To the QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Lord Lieutenant, High Sheriff, Deputy-Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, other Gentlemen and Grand-Jury of the County of *Berks*, at their General Quarter-Sessions of the [illegible] Head of Oglers, in the Third Year of

rance, from approaching Ruine (next under God) to the Sagacity of Your Majesty's Councils in Concerting proper Measures to, and the Prudent Choice of Your Generals to Execute Your Royal Intentions for the Publick Good.

We Your Majesty's Loyal Subjects humbly crave Admittance to Congratulate Your Majesty's happy Success, and to Assure Your Majesty, That in our several Stations we will Contribute our Fortunes and Endeavour, to further Your Noble Designs, till that Monstrous Tyranny, which has so much Alarm'd all Europe *be Subdued, Your Faithful Allies restored, and Your Majesty universally acknowledged the Great Promoter of Justice, the Defender of Injured Princes, the Head of the Protestant Interest abroad, and Protector of the Church of* England *as by Law Established: And when by the Justice of Your Arms You have added new Lustre to the* English *Diadem, obtained Titles greater than of Kingdoms, and secured to us the Blessings of Peace, may you Live long and happily in the willing Obedience of Your People, and (to Crown our Wishes) leave Royal Issue to Inherit Your Throne and Virtues; which is the hearty Prayers of Your Majesty's most Loyal and Dutiful Subjects.*

The following Address from the Borough of *Leominster* was presented to Her Majesty by the Rt. Hon. the Lord *Coningsby* and *Edward Harley* Esq; the Two Representatives of the said Borough, introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Kent*, Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Houshold, and Lord Lieutenant of the County of *Hereford*.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Bayliff, High Steward, Recorder, Justices of the Peace, and Capital Burgesses, under their Common Seal, and of the Burgesses for Parliament, of Your ancient Borough of *Leominster*, in the County of *Hereford*.

PErmit us, Madam, amongst the rest of your joyful People, to congratulate the glorious Progress of your Arms, under the Conduct of the Duke of Marlborough. Besides the Advantages we shall share with the rest of Europe, it's this particular Satisfaction to your Subjects, That your Majesty's Wisdom in directing, and in your Choice of such a General to obey you, will be admired through the World.

And we, who enjoy innumerable other Benefits under your most Auspious Government, shall be esteemed by others, what we think our selves, the Happiest Nation on the Earth.

That the Blessing of your Majesty's Life may be long continued to us, shall be the constant Prayers of Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects.

The following Address from the County of *Hertford* was presented to Her Majesty by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Essex*, Lord Lieutenant of the said County.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Lord Lieutenant, Deputy-Lieutenants, and Justices of the Peace, of the County of Hertford.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, the Lord Lieutenant, Deputy-Lieutenants, and Justices of the Peace, of the County of *Hertford*, do humbly beg Leave to present to Your Majesty, this our most hearty and unfeigned Expression of the Joy and Satisfaction we received, in the last Signal Victory obtained by Your Majesty's Forces, in Conjunction with those of Your Allies, under the Conduct of Your General the Duke of *Marlborough*, who may be truly said to have improved to the utmost, the only Opportunity that was left of defending the Empire, and the Liberties of all *Europe*. The Effects of this Victory are already felt; the War is retired from the Bowels of the Empire to the Borders of *France*: The Hopes of the Friends of the House of *Austria*, and of the whole Confederacy are every where revived: The Partizans of *France* are rendred most Modest amongst Your Majesty's Subjects: The few Malecontents are either dejected, or in appearance at least reconciled. The Succession in the Protestant Line is confirmed; and all Your Majesty's good People are prepared to undergo, with Chearfulness, whatsoever the Wisdom of the Nation shall think fit to lay upon them for the finishing Your Just Cause, so successfully begun to be prosecuted by Your Majesty, and Your immediate Successor of ever Glorious Memory.

May Your Majesty's Reign be long over us, and still be Crowned with Success, are the hearty Wishes and Prayers of us Your Majesty's Subjects.

The following Address from the County of *Hertford* was presented to Her Majesty by *Ralph Freeman* Jun. and *Thomas Halsey* Esq; Knights of the Shire, and several other Gentlemen of the said County, introduced by the Rt. Rev. Lord Bishop of *London*.

To the QUEEN.

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Deputy Leiutenants, Justices of the Peace, Grand Jury, and others, of the County of Hertford, *assembled at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, held at* Hertford *the 2d Day of* October, 1704.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, beg Leave chearfully to Congratulate the late Glorious Successes of Your Majesty's Arms by Land and Sea, under the Conduct of his Grace the Duke of *Marlborough* and Sir *George Rooke*, against the Common Enemy to the Peace of *Europe*.

As we can never enough admire Your Majesty's great Prudence in the Choice of such Commanders, so we cannot sufficiently Extol their Courage and Conduct upon this Occasion, who have so bravely executed what Your Majesty had so wisely design'd. Your Mild and Gracious Administration in Your Government; Your unexampled Goodness in parting with [illegible]

Your Grace and Favour upon Men of that Principle; we have ever esteem'd, not only sure Proof of Your Majesty's great Wisdom and Piety, but also good Omens and happy Presages of the greatest Blessings to this Church and Nation.

That the great God, whose cause you maintain, whose Battels you fight, and whose Church you defend and succour, would multiply his Blessings upon the Sacred Head of your Majesty, and thereupon all your People; are the Wishes and Prayers of us, your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects.

The following Address from the Borough of *Huntingdon* was presented to Her Majesty by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Orrery*.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Lord High Steward, Recorder, Aldermen, and Burgesses, of the Corporation of *Huntingdon*.

May it please Your Majesty,

TO give us Leave, amongst the rest of Your Loyal Subjects, to congratulate Your Majesty upon the late Glorious Victory, obtained by Your Majesty's Arms, in Conjunction with Your Allies, under the Command of his Grace the Duke of Marlborough.

A Victory so compleat, that it is the Wonder of the present Age, and will be almost incredible to the succeeding.

By this Your Majesty seems to be designed by Heaven to reduce that Exorbitant Power within due Limits which has been so long the Disturbance of the Common Peace; and to restore the languishing Liberties of Europe.

May, Madam, Your Arms both by Sea and Land be more and more successful in this great Work: And as You have in a particular manner been the greatest of Blessings to these Nations, by Your pious and generous Zeal for the Church of England, and by securing the Protestant Succession to future Ages; we shall upon all Occasions be ready to defend and preserve both with all that is dear to us.

May Your Majesty's Reign over us be long and prosperous, which is the greatest Happiness can attend, Madam, Your most dutiful and loyal Subjects.

Given under our Common Seal the 21st day of October, in the Third Year of Your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address from the City of *Peterborough* was presented to Her Majesty by Sir *Gilbert Dolben* Bar. one of their Representatives in Parliament.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

WE Your Majesty's most Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, the Custos Rotulorum, Justices of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, and general Gaol Delivery, Grand Jury, Gentlemen, Freeholders, and Inhabitants, of the Liberty and City of Peterborough; beg Leave humbly to approach your Sacred Majesty, with an Expression of our sincere Congratulations upon the entire and honourable Victory lately obtained near Hochstet, by your Majesty's Forces, in Conjunction with those of your Allies, under the wise and valiant Conduct of his Grace the Duke of Marlborough; by which your Majesty (under God) has the Glory of putting a Stop to the dangerous Growth of the French King's Power, whose Endeavour it has been for many years to extirpate the Protestant Religion, and to trample upon the Liberties of Europe. The Apprehension of such Calamities is now removed by the Blessing of this great Victory, which has turn'd the Ballance of the War to the juster side. And since God has in his Goodness been pleased to add to this Success of your Majesty's Arms, by giving to your Royal Navy, commanded by Sir George Rooke, a Signal Advantage over the French Fleet; we esteem it our Duty, with all Humility, to assure your Majesty, That it is a mighty Encrease of our Joy to see your Majesty at the same time victorious both at Sea and Land; whereby you have purchased a Renown, which none of your Predecessors could ever attain to since the happy Reign of Queen Elizabeth, whose Virtues and Successes Your Majesty inherits with her Throne. The Establishing the Church of England was the great and pious Work of that Princess; as a Reward of which, it pleased God to make her Reign flourishing, and her Days many. And we doubt not but your Majesty's zealous Care in the Preservation and Defence of that Excellent Church, against all its Enemies, will entitle you to as great Blessings as were bestowed upon that Glorious Queen, who so effectually restored and settled it.

May your Majesty's Reign over us be long and prosperous; may it be attended with an uninterrupted Series of Happiness and Glory; and may your Majesty continue many years to be the Delight of your Subjects, the Support of your Friends, and the Terrour of your Enemies.

The following Address from the Town of *Saltash*, was presented to Her Majesty by *Alexander Pendarvis*, Esq;, introduced by the Rt. Hon. Earl of *Abingdon*.

To the QUEEN's most Excellent Majesty.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Aldermen, Free-Burgesses, and other Inhabitants, of Your Majesty's Ancient Dutchy Borough of Saltash, *in the County of* Cornwall.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

THe late Signal Victories obtained by Your Majesty's Forces, both at Land and Sea, under the Conduct of Your Wise and Valiant Commanders, oblige us in the deepest Sense of Duty and Graritude to Address Your Majesty.

We cannot sufficiently acknowledge the Goodness of Divine Providence, so plainly manifested in these Seasonable Triumphs, which seem as Just Rewards of Your Majesty's Examplary Virtue and Piety.

May no less Glorious Successes Crown all Your Undertakings; and may Your People be as Zealous for the Defence of Your Royal Person and Government, as you are for the Preservation of their Religion, Laws and Liberties; humbly assuring Your Majesty